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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT : Your Forthcoming Trip to SAC Headquarters

1. At the meeting which MAGID had with you on 8 June 1977, one of the issues we raised with you was interagency cooperation. As a specific example of an area wherein I thought better cooperation would be beneficial, I cited the lack of feedback from the Strategic Air Command (SAC) on some of our reports. You responded that you were planning to visit SAC on 3 August and asked that I write you a memorandum detailing what I thought you could do to help me with this problem.

2. CIA/OWI has engaged for several years in a number of Net Technical Assessment (NTA) studies, jointly funded by ourselves and the Office of the Director of Defense Research and Engineering. The purpose of these studies has been to help define the technical factors which affect the strategic relationship between the US and the USSR by providing to DoD managers integrated, detailed technical analysis which utilizes the best available intelligence data. By their very nature, then, the studies have also required an input on US forces which is provided by DDR&E. However, the ultimate consumer of these studies, the operational planner, has not provided any direct feedback on many of these studies.

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4. Anything you can do in your forthcoming meeting with the new Commander in Chief of SAC which could effect the dialogue which I feel would be so beneficial, I will greatly appreciate.

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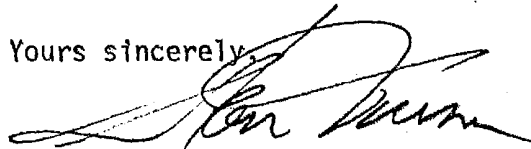
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Dear General Larson:

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I, too, regretted not being able to visit General Ellis and SAC as planned in August but am hoping to reschedule the trip as early as my calendar will permit.

Yours sincerely,



STANSFIELD TURNER

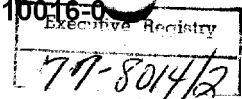
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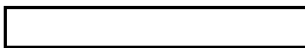
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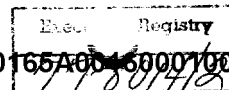
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Yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Stansfield Turner".

STANSFIELD TURNER


CINCSAC Representative
Department of the Air Force
Headquarters Strategic Air Command
Offutt Air Force Base, Nebraska 68113



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/s/ Stansfield Turner

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND
OFFUTT AIR FORCE BASE, NEBRASKA, 68113



29 AUG 1977

Admiral Stansfield Turner
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, DC 20505


Dear Admiral Turner

Regret your trip of 4 August 1977 to visit with General Ellis and SAC had to be cancelled. We had looked forward to the opportunity for discussing subjects of mutual interest. Hope your calendar will permit an early reschedule.

25X1 [] your CINCSAC Rep, is doing a first rate job. He filled a void, which was of concern to General Dougherty and me. His actions to open communication channels should prove mutually beneficial. Prior to his coming aboard, our analysts frequently had difficulty obtaining the background data to some of the CIA reports. 25X1 [] has provided the hands-on expertise to interface with your folks. General Ellis has expressed his appreciation for the complete intelligence he is receiving on a timely basis. The CIA FIRs and special reports have been of immeasurable assistance in our analytical efforts in support of the SIOP. A most recent example was the CIA estimate on []. Also, 25X1 [] help in handling agency visitors is most appreciated. Selected base wide organizations here at Offutt look forward to receiving the special briefing next month on [] 25X1 [] which he set up.

25X1 [] presence is well known, a key player on the Intelligence Staff. We look forward to greater benefits from his contributions.

Very respectfully


DOYLE E. LARSON, Maj General, USAF
DCS/Intelligence

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Enclosed on the left is a letter from General Larson, SAC Headquarters, regretting the cancellation of your August trip and commending the performance of [redacted] who began a tour as CIA CINCSAC Rep in June.

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On the right you'll find a letter for your signature conveying General Larson's letter and your thanks to Orndorff and an acknowledgement letter to General Larson. Copies will be sent to the DDI and D/Personnel.

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B. C. Evans